



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-27789-2026

Date of decision: 26.05.2026

KULWINDER SINGH @ KAKKI**....Petitioner****Versus****STATE OF PUNJAB****....Respondent****CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL**

Present:- Mr. A.S. Sra, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Rahul Jindal, AAG Punjab.

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RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL, J. (ORAL)

1. Through the instant petition filed under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (For short "BNSS"), the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR No.185 dated 30.08.2025 under Sections 331(6), 115(2), 190, 191(3), 351(3) BNS, 2023 (Section 117(2), 238 BNS added later on) registered at Police Station Nehianwala, District Bathinda.
2. On 15.05.2026, following order had been passed: -

“ Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 of the BNSS, 2023 is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.185 dated 30.08.2025 registered under Sections 331(6), 115(2), 190, 191(3), 351(3) of BNS, 2023 and under Sections 117(2) and 238 of BNS, 2023 added later on at Police Station Nehianwala, District Bathinda.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in the present case. He argued that even if the contents of the FIR are taken to be true, only role attributed to the petitioner is that he gave a spade blow above the right eye of the complainant. Moreover, the injury attributed to the petitioner is simple in nature. He submits that the alleged occurrence took place on 19.08.2025, whereas the FIR in question was registered on 30.08.2025 i.e. after an unexplained delay of 11 days thereby casting serious doubt on the prosecution story. He further submits that co-accused persons have already been granted concession of bail by this Court vide orders dated

01.04.2026 and 13.05.2026. Learned counsel has further submitted that the petitioner is ready and willing to join the investigation as and when called upon to do so by the investigating agency.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. Jasjit Singh Rattu, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State and seeks time to file status report in the matter.

Adjourned to 26.05.2026.

In the meantime, the petitioner is directed to join investigation within a week from today and would appear as and when required by the Investigating Officer and cooperate with the Investigating Agency. In the event of arrest, he shall be admitted to interim bail on furnishing of bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall also abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) of BNSS, 2023.”

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of the order dated 15.05.2026 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

4. Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from S.I. Amrinder Singh, has submitted that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required for further investigation.

5. In view of the statement made by learned State counsel, the interim order dated 15.05.2026 is made absolute. The petitioner shall continue to join investigation, as and when called by the Investigating Officer and shall also abide by the conditions as provided under Section 482(2) of the BNSS.

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(RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL)
JUDGE

i)	Whether speaking/reasoned?	Yes/No
ii)	Whether reportable?	Yes/No